Organist/Accompanist Shady Grove United Methodist Church

Date: April 2023 Reports To: Minister of Music

Schedule: Regular Part-time

Designated Focus: Music Ministry Program

Job Purpose:

Our mission is to reach out and serve all people as we grow in relationship with Jesus Christ and each other.

The Organist/Accompanist provides support to the Minister of Music in providing music leadership.

Responsibilities and Accountabilities:

1—Organist:

- Provide organ and piano music throughout traditional worship services
- Provide organ and piano music for special worship services throughout the year, including Ash Wednesday, Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Christmas Eve, etc.
- Provide organ and piano music for weddings and funerals when available. (compensated by the family as outlined in the church use policy document)

2—Accompanist:

- Accompany the Chancel Choir in weekly rehearsals and worship services, including preparation for special performances and concerts.
- Accompany other ensembles in rehearsal and worship as needed. (ex. Cappella, Chamber Choir, Men's Quartet, Children's Choirs)
- Accompany soloists in rehearsal and worship as needed.

Minimum Qualifications:

1—Education:

• A degree in organ and/or piano performance (or collaborative piano) is highly desirable

2—Experience:

•	Will have demonstrated ability on the organ and piano for leading congregational singing and accompanying choirs and soloists. Strong organizational and communication skills are necessary. The ability to perform collaboratively is required.
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